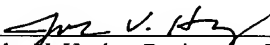


REMARKS

By this paper, certain amendments have been made to the specification and drawings for clarification or to correct errors. It is believed that no new matter has been added.

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Turning to FIG. 3D, there is shown another embodiment of the main body component 130 embodying a sealing stent 50 sewn on the inside of the graft and a second stent 151 attached to the outside of the graft. The second stent 151 is configured to open the main body component 130 as well as to provide stability to the aortic system during implantation. The fixation stent 40 is attached to the main graft component 130 using tabs of graft and the main graft component can otherwise lack scalloped sections to thereby reduce redundancy of material at the top of the graft 130.

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